

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

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NOTICE OF FILING AND HEARING AND PREFILE TESTIMONY DEADLINES

DOCKET NO. 2019-209-E

South Carolina Energy Freedom Act (House Bill 3659) Proceeding Related to Dominion Energy South Carolina, Incorporated and S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-41-30 Related to Electrical Utilities and Their Current Voluntary Renewable Energy Program, and Such Other Proceedings Required by the Commission

On September 13, 2019, Dominion Energy South Carolina, Inc. ("DESC") filed with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the "Commission") a rate rider ("Rider") embodying its Voluntary Renewable Energy ("VRE") program. The Rider was filed pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. § 58-41-30. This Rider is only available to a non-residential customer (Customer) with a new or existing contract demand greater than or equal to one megawatt (1 MW) at a single metered location or aggregated across multiple metered locations under direct ownership of a single customer and served by DESC. This Rider is available on a first come, first serve basis until the total capacity committed under renewable generation supply agreements (RG-Supply Agreements) entered into under this Rider shall equal 135 MW.

The Company shall include on each monthly bill to the Customer an avoided cost credit (RG Credit) equal to the day-ahead rate for energy on the Company's system applied on an hourly basis to the energy provided to the Company's system under the RG-Supply Agreement by the Supplier, net of transmission and distribution losses calculated at system average rates. If the energy provided under the RG-Supply Agreement for the month is greater than the Customer's kWh usage for that month, the amount of credit will be reduced accordingly.

If the Application or Petition in this case contains a request for adjustment of rates, the rates are subject to potential modification by the Commission during the course of this case.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a **virtual** hearing, pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 103-817 and Order No. 2020-550, on the above matter has been scheduled to begin on **Thursday, November 12, 2020, at 10:00 a.m.**, before the Commission for the purpose of receiving testimony and evidence from all interested parties. The hearing may continue through **November 13, 2020**, if necessary.

A copy of the company's Application can be found on the Commission's website at www.psc.sc.gov under Docket No. 2019-209-E. Additionally, a copy of the application is available from the office of K. Chad Burgess, Esquire and Matthew Gissendanner, Esquire, Dominion Energy South Carolina, Incorporated, 220 Operation Way – MC C222, Cayce, South Carolina 29033.

Any person who wishes to participate in this matter as a party of record should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure on or before **September 24, 2020**, by filing the Petition to Intervene with the Commission, by providing a copy to the Office of Regulatory Staff and by providing a copy to all parties of record. For the receipt of future Commission correspondence, please include an email address in the Petition to Intervene. ***Please refer to Docket No. 2019-209-E and mail a copy to all other parties in this docket.*** Any person who seeks to intervene and who wishes to testify and present evidence at the hearing should notify, in writing, the Commission; the Office of Regulatory Staff at 1401 Main Street, Suite 900, Columbia, South Carolina 29201; and the company at the above address, on or before **September 24, 2020**. ***Please refer to Docket No. 2019-209-E.***

INSTRUCTIONS TO ALL PARTIES OF RECORD (Applicant, Petitioners, and Intervenors only):

****** On or before **10/29/2020**, please provide the order of witnesses to be presented during the hearing, whether there is an objection to taking direct and rebuttal or surrebuttal testimony together during the hearing, and whether or not there is a desire to use panels of witnesses. ******

All Parties of Record must prefile testimony with the Commission and with all Parties of Record. Prefiled Testimony Deadlines: Applicant's **Direct Testimony** Due: **10/1/2020**; Other Parties of Record **Direct Testimony** Due: **10/15/2020**; Applicant's **Rebuttal Testimony** Due: **10/22/2020**; and Other Parties of Record **Surrebuttal Testimony** Due: **10/29/2020**. All prefiled testimony deadlines are subject to the information as posted on www.psc.sc.gov under **Docket No. 2019-209-E**.

For the most recent information regarding this docket, including changes in scheduled dates included in this Notice, please refer to www.psc.sc.gov and **Docket No. 2019-209-E**.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that any person who wishes to have his or her comments considered as part of the official record of this proceeding **MUST** present such comments in person to the Commission during the hearing.

Persons seeking information about the Commission's procedures should contact the Commission at (803) 896-5100 or visit its website at www.psc.sc.gov.

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